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This publication lists, by major institution, 32 population information resources in the United States. Each entry provides name and location of center or library, person in charge; date established; number of staff; size of collection and acquisition rate; area of specialization; publications circulated; services offered, and whether or not the facility is equipped to handle outside requests. Personnel and organization indices are provided. (ED 050 961 is a preliminary listing of information sources outside the United States.) (JLB)

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The library as an institution is in transition to new forms and new processes. The Seventies will be a critical period for this transition.

–Robert S. Taylor

Brown University

POPULATION STUDIES AND TRAINING CENTER LIBRARY
Providence, Rhode Island 02912

Joyce Coleman, Librarian

Library Established: 1965

Staff: Librarian

Collection: 750 books
520 reprints
18 periodical subscriptions
recoded 1/1000 1960 Census Tapes

Acquisition Rate: 200/year

Areas of Specialization: General materials on population and human ecology

Publications Circulated: Acquisition list circulated internally

Services Offered: Copies of the recoded 1/1000 1960 Census Tapes available at cost

Library is NOT equipped to handle outside requests; it services students and staff of the Center and the Department of Sociology and Anthropology.

The serious problem of information storage and retrieval is not the storage but rather the retrieval; for what will it profit a man if he has the entire collection of the Library of Congress on the corner of his desk if he cannot effectively and efficiently gain access to its intellectual content?

–Jesse H. Shera

University of California at Berkeley

FAMILY PLANNING REFERENCE LIBRARY
School of Public Health, University of California
Berkeley, California 94720

J. M. Kilker, Coordinator

Library Established: 1966

Staff: Coordinator (½ time) and secretary (¼ time)

Collection: 200 books
5000 reprints and preprints
200 serial publications

Acquisition Rate: 500/year

Areas of Specialization: Family planning program development, administration and evaluation, community and patient education, personnel training and sex education / / India, Pakistan and other Asian countries, and United States

Publications Circulated: "Recent Additions to the FPRL" (monthly)

Services Offered: Reading lists for family planning classes, bibliographies for faculty projects, aid to state agencies and family planning programs

Library is equipped to handle limited outside requests.

The literature of family planning is published in many countries, in many languages, and in many formats. Yet the information these documents contain is vital to workers no matter where they are, to keep them from repeating work done elsewhere and to insure that good methods developed in one place are utilized in other places.

–Estelle Brodman

BUREAU OF THE CENSUS LIBRARY
U. S. Department of Commerce
Washington, D. C. 20233

Dorothy W. Kaufman, Librarian
Salme H. Kuri, Assistant Librarian

Library Established: 1952

Staff: 11 librarians, 6 library technicians, 6 clerical

Collection: 205,000 books
1,200 periodical subscriptions

Acquisition Rate: 12,000/year

Areas of Specialization: Emphasis on public finance and other governmental functions for U.S. states, cities over 25,000 and large countries. Foreign and U.S. censuses. Population. Probabilities and statistical calculations, with emphasis on sampling and survey techniques.

Publications Circulated: Library Notes (monthly),
Foreign Statistical Publications
Accessions List (quarterly)

Services Offered: Compilation of bibliographies

Library is equipped to handle outside requests when subject matter is pertinent to Bureau affairs.

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As separate services proliferate, grow, and succeed, the prospect for standardization and compatibility diminishes. There is clearly a need for national planning and coordination to insure, for all subject fields . . . adequate systems of bibliographic control.

–National Advisory Commission on Libraries

University of Chicago

COMMUNITY AND FAMILY STUDY CENTER
1126 East 59th Street
Chicago, Iilinois 60637

Donald J. Bogue, Director

No separate library facilities; small reprint collection not open to public.

The twentieth century . . . has brought new pressures to bear upon the organizational processes of libraries, and at the same time new opportunities to develop and test new methods in the many special libraries that have been established . . .

–Jesse H. Shera and Margaret Egan

Columbia University

INTERNATIONAL INSTITUTE FOR THE STUDY
OF HUMAN REPRODUCTION
Division for Program Development and Evaluation
45 Overlook Terrace
New York, New York 10033

Kathryn H. Speert, Librarian

Library Established: 1968

Staff: Librarian, library assistant

Collection: 150 books
600 reprints
13 periodical subscriptions

Acquisition Rate: n.a.

Areas of Specialization: Evaluative methodology applicable to family planning and population programs / / worldwide

Publications Circulated: *Casebook for the Intrauterine Contraceptive Device,* May 1968 in English, French or Spanish available upon request; copies of articles by staff of the division

Services Offered: None

Library is NOT equipped to handle outside requests.

. . . of making many books
there is no end . . .

Ecclesiastes xii:12

Cornell University

INTERNATIONAL POPULATION PROGRAM
Research and Reference Library
B-6 McGraw Hall
Ithaca, New York 14850

Professor J. Mayone Stycos, Director

Staff: Administrative aide (supervision), secretary (¼ time), student assistant (part-time)

Collection: 2,025 books
1,750 reprints
161 periodical subscriptions

Acquisition Rate: 275 books/year
900 others/year

Areas of Specialization: General books on demography; fertility, migration, and mortality, including social science research methodology and family planning. International censuses and statistical materials. Special section, grouped by country, of vital statistics and literature on demography from the economic, sociological, and political points of view.

Publications Circulated: Demographic studies and reprints prepared by International Population Program staff and graduate students

Library is NOT equipped to handle outside requests. It is set up on a self-help, honor system for graduate students, majoring or minoring in demography, and staff connected with the graduate training program. It is also used, with special permission, by graduate students and faculty from the various other Colleges and Schools at Cornell University.

Somewhere in the world there is a woman giving birth every minute. What we have to do is find that woman, and stop her.

—*Population Expert (Anonymous)*

Duke University

POPULATION STUDIES PROGRAM
Box 4732
Durham, North Carolina 27706

Dr. Joseph J. Spengler, Department of Economics

The Population Studies Program at Duke University is a graduate training program in Sociology and Economics. The program's library consists of a collection of census reports and other books and materials housed in the research room used by Population Program Graduate Trainees. The library is not set up for circulation and is used primarily by trainees and staff connected with the graduate training program.

There is a certain irony in the fact that a culture, such as ours, which places such great emphasis upon science and extending the frontiers of knowledge, should view with such indifference the importance of organizing and servicing that knowledge in the most effective and efficient ways possible.

–Jesse H. Shera

East-West Center

EAST-WEST POPULATION LIBRARY
1777 East-West Road
Honolulu, Hawaii 96822

Alice D. Harris, Librarian

Library Established: September, 1969

Staff: Librarian, library assistant

Collection: 400 books
200 reprints
25 periodical subscriptions

Acquisition Rate: 1200/year

Areas of Specialization: Population growth problems in relation to social, economic and political development of areas in Asia, Southeast Asia, and the Pacific islands; family planning; censuses/analysis, demography

Publications Circulated: Acquisitions lists, seminar lists

Services Offered: Literature searches, bibliographies

Library is equipped to handle outside requests on a limited basis.

We all die of a lack of information.

–Medical School Dean

Florida State University

POPULATION STUDIES PROGRAM
Department of Sociology, Florida State University
Tallahassee, Florida 32306

Professor Charles B. Nam, Chairman

The Population Studies Program at Florida State University maintains a Population-Statistics Laboratory in which are located U. S. Census and vital statistics materials for the use of staff and students.

Library is NOT equipped to handle outside requests.

Increasing specialization has made . . .
desirable the development of classification systems
designed to cover certain limited subject fields,
acccording to organizational patterns within the
subject field itself . . .

–Jesse H. Shera and Margaret Egan

Ford Foundation

POPULATION OFFICE LIBRARY
320 East 43rd Street
New York, New York 10017

Karen Wilhelm, Senior Staff Assistant

Library Established: 1965

Staff: 1 part-time library assistant

Collection: 500 books
50 periodical subscriptions
(circulated from Central Library)

Acquisition Rate: 100/year

Areas of Specialization: Training and research in reproductive biology; training and research in population problems; family planning program development / / U. S. and the developing nations

Publications Circulated: None

Services Offered: None

Library is really only an office collection, and is NOT equipped to handle outside requests.

The library represents a central learning resource in any great institution. Its traditional image must change from that of a passive repository of information to that of an active information center.

—Martin M. Cummings

Georgetown University

CENTER FOR POPULATION RESEARCH LIBRARY
Washington, D.C. 20007

Diane E. Conway, Librarian

Library Established: 1967

Staff: Librarian

Collection: 1000 books
300 reprints
17 periodical subscriptions

Acquisition Rate: 200/year

Areas of Specialization: General books on demography / /
Latin America

Publications Circulated: None

Services Offered: None

Library is NOT equipped to handle outside requests.

The difficulty seems to be, not so much that we publish unduly in view of the extent and variety of present day interests, but rather that publication has been extended far beyond our ability to make real use of the record.

–Vannevar Bush, 1945

Harvard University

HARVARD CENTER FOR POPULATION STUDIES
The Library
665 Huntington Avenue
Boston, Massachusetts 02115

Wilma E. Winters, Librarian

Library Established: 1965

Staff: Librarian, library assistant, student assistant

Collection: 6156 books, reprints, pamphlets
79 periodical subscriptions

Acquisition Rate: 500 books/year
1000 others/year

Areas of Specialization: Population–all phases; related materials in economics, sociology, religion, psychology, education, natural resources, food supply / / U. S., India

Publications Circulated: Acquisitions lists

Services Offered: Reference

Library is NOT equipped to handle outside requests.

. . . But technological innovation does not have to be disruptive; it is not necessarily a hostile force dislocating comfortable routines . . . That librarians are deeply troubled by the new technology can be directly attributed to their devoting excessive attention to the techniques of their craft, and to their neglect of the fundamental questions that they should have been asking.

–Jesse H. Shera

INTERNATIONAL PLANNED PARENTHOOD FEDERATION
WESTERN HEMISPHERE REGION

111 Fourth Ave.
New York, New York 10003

Rene' Jaimes, Librarian

Library Established: 1967

Staff: Librarian, assistant

Collection: 1500 books
500 reprints
40 periodical subscriptions

Acquisition Rate: 500-800/year

Areas of Specialization: Population and family planning in Latin America and Caribbean Islands

Publications Circulated: Library Bulletin

Services Offered: Library Bulletin, bibliographies,
Latin American newspaper clippings

Library is equipped to handle outside requests.

It is not enough simply to acquire research and informational resources. To insure that their existence and relevance will be known to those who need them, an adequate apparatus for indexing, cataloguing, abstracting, and evaluating their content must be developed.

–National Advisory Commission on Libraries

Johns Hopkins University

POPULATION DYNAMICS AND MATERNAL AND CHILD HEALTH LIBRARY
Room 2602, School of Hygiene and Public Health
615 North Wolfe Street
Baltimore, Maryland 21205

Frances D. Yatsevitch, Librarian

Library Established: 1952

Staff: Librarian, typist

Collection: 2000 books
75 periodical subscriptions

Acquisition Rate: 288/year

Areas of Specialization: Demography—including census data, social science research methodology, biostatistics, reproductive biology, public health and family planning administration, and maternal and child health.

Publications Circulated: None

Services Offered: None

Library is NOT equipped to handle outside requests.

We advocate direct grants from appropriate agencies for the strengthening of research-library services, with emphasis on funding new and innovative services, and special provisions in research grants to educational and research institutions for adequate funds for the use of needed library and information services.

–SATCOM

University of Massachusetts

MASSACHUSETTS POPULATION RESEARCH INSTITUTE
Amherst, Massachusetts 01002

Thomas O. Wilkinson, Director

No library facilities; maintains census collection for use of staff and students.

A few books well studied and thoroughly digested nourish the understanding more than hundreds but gargled in the mouth . . .

–Francis Osborne

University of Michigan

CENTER FOR POPULATION PLANNING
1225 South University
Ann Arbor, Michigan 48104

Jeannette Goldberg, Librarian

Library Established: 1965

Staff: Librarian, part-time student assistant

Collection: 900 books
1400 reprints
47 periodical subscriptions

Acquisition Rate: 1500/year

Areas of Specialization: Family planning programs, population problems, abortion, sex education

Publications Circulated: Acquisition lists

Services Offered: None

Library is NOT equipped to handle outside requests.

The role of the library throughout history has been to maximize the social utility of graphic records for the benefit of society. Hence the librarian stands as a mediator between man and his records, and librarianship is fundamentally an act of mediation.

–Jesse H. Shera

University of Michigan

POPULATION STUDIES CENTER
1225 South University Avenue
Ann Arbor, Michigan 48104

Dr. Ronald Freedman, Director

At present, the Population Studies Center does not have a library. The Center does have a collection of reference documents, including publications from the United States Census from 1900 to the present, United Nations documents, and selected censuses and vital statistics publications from foreign countries such as China and Pakistan.

The Population Studies Center has recently hired a librarian on a part-time basis, and plans to move its collection of reference documents to larger quarters this summer.

Accuse not the Library of Congress!
she hath done her part;
do thou but thine.

–Milton

National Institute of Child Health
and Human Development

NATIONAL INSTITUTE OF CHILD HEALTH AND HUMAN DEVELOPMENT LIBRARY

Room 3022, Building 12 A
Bethesda, Maryland 20014

Madge C. Goolsby, Librarian

Library Established: 1963

Staff: Technical information specialist/librarian, library technician, translator

Collection: 600 books
329 periodical subscriptions

Acquisition Rate: 125/year

Areas of Specialization: Research in biomedical, psychological and social aspects of family planning and contraceptive research

Publications Circulated: None

Services Offered: Literature searches, compilation of bibliographies, supplying curriculum vitae, computer searches

Library is equipped to handle outside requests only as they involve duplicate copies of the above.

We recommend that the policy-making groups . . . encourage . . . the development of ways in which access and transfer activities can operate on a more truly international basis through sharing both work and products across national boundaries.

—*SATCOM*

National Institute of Child Health and Human Development

SCIENTIFIC INFORMATION CENTERS BRANCH
Bethesda, Maryland 20014

Martin L. Peller, Head
Reproduction Information Center

Areas of Specialization: Demographic studies of fertility, mortality and migration; studies of marriage and family in relation to fertility; studies involving acceptance and use of fertility control measures; sex and family life education; biomedical and behaviorial effects of contraception; development of new contraceptive techniques; research in reproductive biology including problems of infertility

Publications Circulated: *Population Research and Reproduction Abstracts Journal, Current Population Research* (annual), bibliographies and reviews

Services Offered: The Center will act as a referral center and search its computer store to respond to bibliographic requests.

Beware of all enterprises that require new clothes.

–Thoreau

University of North Carolina

CAROLINA POPULATION CENTER LIBRARY
123 West Franklin Street
Chapel Hill, North Carolina 27514

Jean Nielsen, Librarian
Priscilla Kellermann, Assistant Librarian

Library Established: 1967

Staff: 2 librarians, 2 research bibliographers,
3 library assistants, 1 student assistant

Collection: 5000 books
3000 reprints
165 periodical subscriptions

Acquisition Rate: 1000/year

Areas of Specialization: Family planning program development and training, population research / / India, Thailand, Chile, Iran, Egypt

Publications Circulated: Acquisitions lists (monthly), Reprint and Area file lists (quarterly), Monthly Index to Periodical Literature ("Scanning Sheet"), List of Serial Holdings (annual)

Services Offered: Literature searches, request bibliographies, indexes, photoduplication, reference and research bibliographies

Library is equipped to handle outside requests

We have all the answers, it's the questions we don't know.

—Archibald MacLeish, to his staff at the Library of Congress

University of North Carolina

CAROLINA POPULATION CENTER
NORTH CAROLINA COUNTY FILES
500 Pittsboro Street
Chapel Hill, North Carolina 27514

Peggy Morrow, Research Assistant

Library Established: 1968

Staff: Research assistant, statistical aide

Collection: 150 books
2000 reprints
500 student papers on field experience through School of Public Health

Acquisition Rate: 500/year

Areas of Specialization: North Carolina population information by county, with special emphasis on family planning programs

Publications Circulated: None (plan to begin acquisitions list)

Services Offered: Literature searches

Library is equipped to handle outside requests on a limited basis.

We give top priority to . . . experiments on the functioning of different parts of the scientific-and-technical-communication network and on its overall operation. Efforts to develop measures of the value of information services and ways of overcoming user apathy or resistance in the face of new options and services also receive major emphasis.

–SATCOM

Pan American Health Organization

PAN AMERICAN SANITARY BUREAU LIBRARY
525 Twenty-third Street, N.W.
Washington, D. C. 20037

Miguel Angel Pineiro, Librarian

Library Established: 1902

Staff: Chief librarian, librarian,
reference librarian, 4 clerks

Collection: 40,000 books
1,000 periodical subscriptions

Acquisition Rate: 1,667/year

Areas of Specialization: Public health, medicine / / Latin America

Publications Circulated: Acquisitions lists, calendar of meetings, exchange list

Services Offered: Literature searches, bibliographies

Library is equipped to handle outside requests if they are in the subject area of public health.

In a sense, all the research collections of the world form a single great library . . .

–American Council of Learned Societies

University of Pennsylvania

POPULATION STUDIES CENTER LIBRARY
Social Science Building II
Locust and 37th Street
University of Pennsylvania
Philadelphia, Pennsylvania 19104

Margaret Gross, Librarian

Library Established: 1961

Staff: Librarian

Collection: 2000 books
2800 reprints
30 periodical subscriptions
1600 census and national statistical publications

Acquisition Rate: 500/year

Areas of Specialization: Labor force; migration; fertility; mortality; demographic history; mathematical demography; demographic-economic inter relations

Publications Circulated: Acquisitions lists

Services Offered: None

Library is NOT equipped to handle outside requests.

If your parents didn't have children,
you probably won't either.

–Goldie Hawn

University of Pittsburgh

GRADUATE SCHOOL OF PUBLIC HEALTH LIBRARY
Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania 15213

Catherine M. Brosky, Librarian

Library Established: 1949

Staff: Librarian, assistant librarian, library assistants, secretary

Collection: 37,500 books including journals
500 periodical subscriptions

Acquisition Rate: 2,000/year

Areas of Specialization: Public health / / U.S. and some international

Publications Circulated: None

Services Offered: Library searches

Library handles outside requests by special arrangement.

Librarianship must develop a sound research policy that is directed toward the solution of fundamental problems, not a series of statistical exercises in which counting and tabulating masquerade under the guise of scientific enquiry. Quantification and research are not synonymous, and the slavish following of a methodology, however good the design, does not guarantee valid results. Today, librarianship is not research-oriented, but it must become so if the why is properly to be related to the how.

—*Jesse H. Shera*

Planned Parenthood–World Population

PP-WP LIBRARY
515 Madison Avenue
New York, New York 10022

Blanche Horowitz, Librarian

Library Established: 1964

Staff: Librarian, assistant librarian, acquisitions librarian (part-time), library assistant

Collection: 2000 books
1600 reprints
150 periodical subscriptions

Acquisition Rate: 200 volumes/year
240 reprints/year

Areas of Specialization: History of birth control movement; birth control methods; infertility; artificial insemination; family planning–attitudes, research, services, programs in the U.S.; religions and birth control

Publications Circulated:
A Selected Bibliography
Paperbacks on Population, Family Planning, Related Subjects
A Small Library in Family Planning for the General Reader
Directory of Population Research and Study Centers / U.S.A.
Guide to Information Sources in the Fields of Population and Family Planning
Coding System and Index (family planning subjects)
Monthly acquisitions list

Services Offered: Reference, bibliographies, literature searches

Library is equipped to handle outside requests to a limited extent only.

As society continues to demand both new knowledge and more rapid application of knowledge for its own betterment, the proliferation of information may defeat its own purpose unless it is adequately recorded, acquired, and available for use.

–*National Advisory Commission on Libraries*

Population Council

THE POPULATION COUNCIL LIBRARY
245 Park Avenue
New York, New York 10017

Adelaide M. Smith, Librarian

Library Established: 1960

Staff: Librarian, library clerk

Collection: 3,500 books
27,500 reprints
2,000 country reports

Acquisition Rate: 360 books/year

Areas of Specialization: Demography, biomedical research, technical assistance to family planning / / international

Publications Circulated: Acquisitions lists

Services Offered: Reference

Library is equipped to handle limited outside requests, by appointment only. Not open to the public.

Population Council

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New York, New York 10017

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Library Established: 1960

Staff: Librarian, library clerk

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Family planning knowledge, both scientific and operational is growing at a rate which makes the effective and frequent dissemination of knowledge basic to the success of programmes.

–ECAFE Report of a Working Group on Administrative Aspects of Family Planning Programmes, 1966

Population Council

BIO-MEDICAL DIVISION LIBRARY
2 East 103rd Street
New York, New York 10029

Kathy Ch'iu Lyle, Librarian

Library Established: 1958

Staff: Librarian

Collection: 1,500 books
25,000 reprints
40 periodical subscriptions

Acquisition Rate: 200 monographs, thousands of reprints/year

Areas of Specialization: Sociological and bio-medical aspects of fertility control

Publications Circulated: Periodical publication of *Bibliography on Fertility Control*

Services Offered: Literature searches, bibliographies

Library is equipped to handle outside requests. Not open to the public.

Unless information circulates efficiently and effectively, it is our belief that coordination at the administration level and at the working scientific level will occur, if at all, only with greatest difficulty and expense.

–Hubert H. Humphrey

Population Council and International Institute for the Study of Human Reproduction, Columbia University

INFORMATION SERVICE
245 Park Avenue
New York, New York 10017

Olivia L. Schieffelin, Head

Areas of Specialization: Population and family planning; program development, administration, and evaluation; demography; human reproduction and fertility control; population policy / / worldwide

Publications Circulated:
Studies in Family Planning
Current Publications in Pop./Family Planning
Reports on Population/Family Planning
Country Profiles
Population Chronicle
In preparation:
Teaching handbook for professors of obstetrics and gynecology covering reproductive physiology, contraceptive technology, family planning, and demography

Services Offered: Documentation service offering important reprints, reports, etc., to 1) administrators and scholars from Africa, Asia, and Latin America on request; and 2) selected worldwide mailing list on regular basis.

Information Service publications are in the public domain and all responsible sources are encouraged to use them, provided the appropriate citation is given.

Information is growing by the microsecond and even the nanosecond. We cannot turn off the flow. We had therefore better learn to control it—and we are already running late.

—*Howell M. Estes*

Population Reference Bureau

POPULATION REFERENCE BUREAU LIBRARY
1755 Massachusetts Avenue, N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20037

Frances B. Jacobson, Librarian

Library Established: 1929

Staff: Research librarian, assistant

Collection: 2163 books
499 reprints
257 periodical subscriptions

Acquisition Rate: 225-250/year

Areas of Specialization: Population, demography, international census and statistical materials; sociology, economics, public health and selected natural sciences; special section on Latin America

Publications Circulated: Acquisitions lists, Bibliography on Population; current reading lists in regular publications

Library is equipped to handle limited outside requests.

We're always more afraid of the problems we might have than we ever are of the problems we've already got.

–William Faulkner

Princeton University

OFFICE OF POPULATION RESEARCH LIBRARY
5 Ivy Lane
Princeton, New Jersey 08540

Mark T. Day, Librarian

Library Established: 1936

Staff: Librarian, assistant (part-time)

Collection: 7,500 books
14,800 reprints
167 periodical subscriptions

Acquisition Rate: 650/year

Areas of Specialization: Demography--censuses and vital statistics for all countries, literature on demography from the economic, sociological and political points of view

Publications Circulated: Acquisitions lists, lists of books and articles by staff of Office of Population Research

Services Offered: Acquisitions lists, some bibliography and some reference

Library is equipped to handle outside requests of an academic nature.

I love my books as drinkers love their wine;
The more I drink, the more they seem divine.

–Francis Bennoch

University of Southern California

POPULATION RESEARCH LABORATORY
3717 South Grand Avenue, University Park
Los Angeles, California 90007

Maurice D. Van Arsdol, Jr., Director

Staff: No special staff

Collection: Census and vital statistics reports housed in research and training facilities

Acquisition Rate: 200/year

Areas of Specialization: Urban demography and ecology

Publications Circulated: Lists of publications by staff of Population Research Laboratory

Services Offered: None

Library is NOT equipped to handle outside requests, except in special circumstances.

The proliferation of recorded knowledge has been a matter of concern to scientists as well as librarians for many centuries, and one cynic, now unhappily forgotten, expressed disquietude over the growth of libraries and cemetaries and proposed cremation as a solution for both.

–Jesse H. Shera

United Nations

POPULATION DIVISION REFERENCE CENTER
Room 3157, Population Division
Grand Central Post Office Box 20
United Nations
New York, New York 10017

Simone Sauterot, Research Assistant

Library Established: 1966

Staff: Research assistant

Collection: 1,896 books (est.)
320 reprints (est.)
30 periodical subscriptions

Acquisition Rate: 240/year

Areas of Specialization: All fields of demography / / all countries

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